

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
FORT WAYNE DIVISION**

SAVANNAH STEPHENS,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	CAUSE NO. 1:06-CV-391 TS
v.	)	
	)	
SOCIAL SECURITY	)	
ADMINISTRATION,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

Savannah Stephens, by counsel, submitted a petition for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The petition declares that Ms. Stephens is not employed, has no significant assets, and has had minimal income for the past 12 months. It appearing that she is unable to pay the filing fee, the Court: (1) **GRANTS** the *in forma pauperis* petition [DE 2]; (2) **DEFERS** the filing fee; and (3) **ORDERS** the Plaintiff to pay the \$350.00 filing fee from the proceeds of any recovery that she receives in this case; and (4) **DIRECTS**, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(d), the U.S. Marshal Service to effect service of process on the Defendant.

SO ORDERED on December 13, 2006.

s/ Theresa L. Springmann  
THERESA L. SPRINGMANN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FORT WAYNE DIVISION